



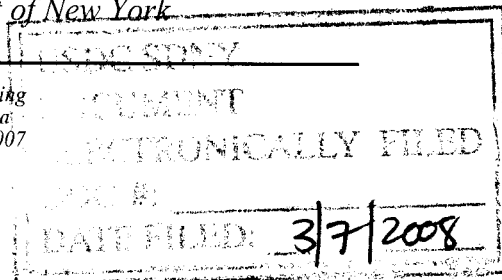
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February 4, 2008



BY HAND

The Honorable William H. Pauley III
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street, Room 2210
New York, New York 10007

Application granted. Petitioner shall serve and file any reply by June 20, 2008.

**Re: Maxmillian Sloley v. United States,
08 Civ. 111 (WHP)**

SO ORDERED:

[Signature]
WILLIAM H. PAULEY III U.S.D.J.
3/5/2008

Dear Judge Pauley:

The petitioner in the above-referenced case, Maxmillian Sloley, has submitted a habeas petition pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 2255 for this Court's consideration. On February 4, 2008, the Court issued an Order requiring the Government to respond to the petition within 60 days, or by April 4, 2008. I am the Assistant United States Attorney who will be preparing the Government's response to the petitioner's brief. I am currently preparing for an upcoming trial, which is scheduled to begin on March 24, 2008, before Judge Marrero. Therefore, the Government respectfully requests a 30-day extension, until May 5, 2008, to prepare its response. This is the Government's first request for an extension. Because the petitioner is proceeding *pro se* in this matter, and is currently incarcerated, I have not obtained his consent to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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